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Poultry Programs

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TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 2, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-295

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell turkey and turkey products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, June 6. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, June 10. Deliveries are to be made from July 16 to July 31.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-295, the Commodity Specifications for Turkey and Turkey Products and Smoked Turkey Ham dated May 2005, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-295, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Bulk Pack (233390) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled young turkeys without necks and giblets, nonbasted. Frozen may be specified. The individual turkey weight range must be 18 pounds(8.16 kg) and up per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Turkey and Turkey Products dated May 2005. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Roasts (233648) - Frozen ready-to-cook turkey roasts must weigh not less than 8 pounds (3.63 kg) and not more than 12 pounds (5.44 kg). Roasts must be packaged in elasticized netting and moisture-proof casings or plastic-film bags and packed four roasts per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY295 INVITATION : 002

COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 33 TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK

PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACKED

NO	CITY	ST	RESTR	(LBS)
ITEM	DESTINATION		TRANS	QUANTITY

DELIVERY PERIOD 07/16/05 - 07/31/05

001	RAEFORD	NC	TRUCK	ONLY	72,000	
	WATERTOWN WAELDER	SD TX	TRUCK TRUCK	_	36,000 36,000	*
004 005	ROME WILLMAR	GA MN	TRUCK TRUCK		36,000 1,116,000	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,296,000

*NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY295 INVITATION : 002

COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 36 TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN PACK SIZE : 48 32-48 LB CONTAINER

	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)				
DELIVERY PERIOD 07/16/05 - 07/31/05								
006	AUGUSTA	ME	TRUCK ONLY	40,000				
007	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000				
800	PLAINFIELD	VT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000				
009	BARTOW	FL		20,000				
	FORT MYERS	FL		20,000				
010	ORMOND BEACH	FL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000				
011	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000				
012	FORT MILL	SC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000				
013	GRANITE CITY	$_{ m IL}$		120,000				
014	ELMIRA	MΙ		40,000				
015	NEWPORT	MN		40,000				
016	DARIEN	WI		20,000				
	EAU CLAIRE	WI		20,000				
017	LINCOLN	NE		40,000				
018	LARAMIE	WY		40,000				
019	FRESNO	CA		40,000				
020	LOS ANGELES/FAS	CA	FAS	40,000				
021	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000				
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000				
022	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000				
023	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000				
024	VERNON	CA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000				
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